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*Via U.S. mail and e-file*

The Hon. Judge Phyllis J. Hamilton  
450 Golden Gate Avenue  
Courtroom 3, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94102

**Re: *Dunaway, et al. v. City and County of San Francisco* Case No.  
08-1715 PJH**

Your Honor,

We are writing to inform the Court that Plaintiffs are withdrawing their motion for a Temporary Restraining Order now set for today at 2:30pm. Accordingly, we request that the matter be taken off calendar.

As your honor is aware, the request for a Temporary Restraining Order was intended to assure that Buster's Place, a 24-hour Resource Center for the Homeless, would remain open. Buster's Place has now closed, as of Monday evening. Our analysis of the situation indicates that it is now highly unlikely that Buster's Place can realistically be re-opened as a viable resource for the disabled homeless. In short, the situation has changed significantly since the filing of our motion on Monday. In addition, withdrawal of this motion will allow discussions between the City and Plaintiffs to proceed in an effort to resolve this litigation. We have informed our clients of these circumstances and they have requested that we withdraw the present motion.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sid Wolinsky".

Sid Wolinsky

Cc: Jim Emery, City Attorney (via U.S. mail and Fax)  
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